



Office of the Attorney General  
State of Arizona

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Office of Victim Services

February 16, 2005

Dear BFA Investor:

***Re: State v. Crotts; Grabinski; Friend; and Hoover, CR#2001-006183***

This case was recently transferred from Judge Martin to Judge Fields. The Honorable Kenneth L. Fields is located at Maricopa County Superior Court, East Court Building, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, 101 West Jefferson, Phoenix, Arizona 85003.

On February 10, 2005, the Crime Victims Legal Assistance Project entered an appearance on behalf of certain victims and filed a motion to vacate the transfer and have the case sent back to Judge Martin. This Motion was filed with Judge Campbell, who is the Maricopa County Superior Court Presiding Judge.

An oral argument is set on this motion for **February 25, 2005 at 2:00 p.m.** The oral argument will be held at Maricopa County Superior Court, Old Courthouse, 125 West Washington, Courtroom 101, Phoenix, Arizona 85003.

The trial is currently scheduled for **August 3, 2005 at 9:30 a.m.** before the Honorable Kenneth L. Fields, Maricopa County Superior Court, East Court Building (ECB), 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, 101 West Jefferson, Phoenix, Arizona 85003.

Prior to the trial, a trial management conference has been scheduled for **March 24, 2005 at 2:00 p.m.** before Judge Fields, in the same courtroom mentioned above.

Please note the change in judge and courtroom locations for these proceedings.

You are not required to attend any of these court proceedings unless you are subpoenaed, however, you have the lawful right to be present if you so desire. Please be advised it is common for court proceedings to be delayed or rescheduled for various reasons. If you plan to attend, you may want to call the Maricopa County Superior Court at (602) 506-8575 in advance to verify that the court proceedings have not been continued.

If your testimony is necessary at the trial, you will be subpoenaed by the Assistant Attorney General. A subpoena is a court order which requires you to be available to testify from the time and date on your subpoena, until such time as you are specifically excused.

It is possible that plea negotiations may begin at any time before the trial date. If this happens, we will notify you of the plea negotiations and of the rights you are entitled to regarding plea negotiations.

The Attorney General's Office of Victim Services will continue to keep you informed of any changes or hearings in this matter. For the most up to date case information, you may check our Website at [www.azag.gov](http://www.azag.gov) or call our BFA Help Line at (602) 364-1275 or if you are outside Maricopa County, 1-866-823-6577. Should you need additional assistance, our advocates can be reached via email at [bfa@azag.gov](mailto:bfa@azag.gov).

Sincerely,

Office of Victim Services